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Federal Building at S. F. Fair

Dominating the extensive area occupied by the varied Federal exhibits on Treasure Island, which opens May 25 for the 1940 season of the Golden Gate International Exposition, is the towering colonnade of the States, flanked by the world's largest murals. Under the direction of Federal Commissioner George Creel, the Federal Area is the scene of many impressive military ceremonies, the welcoming of visiting dignitaries, and the site of highly informative and educational exhibits covering a multitude of governmental activities.

Fair Getting Finishing Touches

One month from next Thursday (April 25) the gates of Treasure Island will be opened wide for the 1940 season of the Golden Gate International Exposition. As the pre-exposition period swung into its final weeks, important developments were reported on a number of fronts.

From the Concessions Department came the news this week that the Gay-Way, Treasure Island's fun zone, has been completely sold out with the exception or one 20-foot space. Most of the shows will be new, although a few of the more popular ones of the 1939 season are being retained. it or Not," and the Sally Rand "Nude Ranch."

One of the outstanding new concessions will be a "Monkey Island", of particular interest to the little folks, who are being well provided for this year.

The Governmental Participation and Special Events Department reports that there will be as many special days during the short 1940 seaso nas there was last year when the run of the Exposition was almost twice as long.

Already 200 special days have been bboked and more bookings are being received every day, the department reported.

News that points to the success of the 1940 season came from the ticket sales division this week with the report that all but 10,000 of the limited 200,000 issue of $2.50 souvenir ticket books have been taken up since the bargain sale of tickets opened March 25.

Orders have come from as far east as New Jersey; as far south a Tennessee; from the midwest and from Oregon, Washington and British Columbia.

Other classifications of bargain tickets are also reported to be selling fast.

During the past week illumination tests were started on Treasure Island, while painting of the central Tower of the Sun got under way as one of the major parts of the "face lifting operations," the Exposition is undergoing in anticpiation of the new season.

Work also was started on the huge tank for the Billy Rose Aquacade, while paving and gardening operations were proceeding at top interior of the Palace of Fine Arts alos is well under way and is expected to be completed within two weeks.

Beachcombers Strike It Rich in British War

LONDON.—Beachcombing, which in peace time is more a hobby than a profession, has become a paying proposition under war conditions.

Some of the lucky ones have been able to earn as much as $16 a day when they have been fortunate enough to strike wreckage from some mined vessel.

There always have been beachcombers in the south—or "sandrats" as they are familiarly called. The profession is handed down from father to son, and early morning sees them walking along the water's edge, knowing to a yard where the articles dropped on the pier the previous day will be washed up, or finding small odds and ends washed in from vessels.

But in war days the fishermen can hire out their tackle for hauling heavy goods from wrecks up the shore, or if they tow ashore bales of cotton, they are paid ($4.50 to $5) salvage.

Even the evacuated children at the South Coast resorts take a hand. And residents willing to take the trouble have no difficulty in gathering sufficient coal and wood to last them a long time.

Gas From Anthracite Drives British Motors

LONDON.—The answer to petrol rationing here is a miniature gas works on a trailer drawn at the back of the car, enabling the motorist to drive 100 miles at a cost of about $1.

The fuel produced is anthracite carbon-monoxide. The anthracite is burned in the "works" after a bit of coaxing from tow dipped in paraffin.

The car runs smoothly on the gas, but rather less efficiently.

Fossils Show Sea Once Covered Grand Canyon

GRAND CANYON, ARIZ.—Marine fossils have been found in the Grand canyon and on the nearby Painted desert, indicating that an arm of the sea at one time covered this portion of northern Arizona. The Grand canyon and surrounding country are more than 6,000 feet above sea level and more than 500 miles from the nearest body of salt water, the Gulf of Lower California.

Stoops, Killed by Streetcar

SEATTLE.—Stooping to pick up a dollar bill, Mrs. May Woods, 65, was decapitated by a streetcar.

Iced Coffee Week Will Be Observed June 23 to 29

NEW YORK.—Grocers and restaurant operators will observe Iced Coffee week June 23 to 29, according to an announcement by W. F. Williamson, secretary-manager of the Associated Coffee Industries of America. The event—the third of its kind—opens a summer-long campaign on behalf of the iced beverage.

Radio's Barn Dance In San Jose Apr. 22

An announcement that should prove interesting to all amusement seekers, those who are in accord with flesh entertainment, will find extreme interest in the booking of the famous show of radio stars, The National Barn Dance Revue of 1940, an attraction that you have loaned your listening ears to over the past fe wyears and who now under the Mutual Artists Bureau have been sent on tour and who will be presented in San Jose at tne Civic Auditorium on Monday night, April 22 under the local management of Silvia and Kelsall.

For this attraction in addition to the performers of the Barn Dance, the management will augment the show with fifteen additional orchestral members, building the show up in magnitude and having a special after show performance in which the audience will participate in a frolic of fun and dancing till the midnight bell.

The stage portion of the bill will be Uncle Eb, Theo Pennington, the Bluebonnet Barn Girls, the Buckaroos, Terry the Wrangler as well as hosts of other standard radio performers, all of whom you have listened to in coast to coast broadcasts. All in all there will be forty-four star players on the stage show portion and the after show fun frolic will bring the Barn Dance pep band of fifteen members who will offer many novelty bits, creative of fun in a wholesale score. It will be a big night and the admission prices are surprisingly low, so if you want a frolic of fun, remember the date and the place, the Civic Auditorium, San Jose, at 8:30 Monday night, April 22. See the stage show and stay for the fun and frolic after.

Famous Gold Rush County Booms Again

Montana Section Scene of Mining Activity.

VIRGINIA CITY, MONT.—Madison county, Montana, scene of one of the nation's greatest gold rushes at Alder gulch in the 1860s, is booming again.

Shipments of ore were made regularly during the winter by many of the 122 lode mining outfits which latest government figures show are operating in the district.

Twenty-seven lode mining concerns have headquarters at Norris and 17 at Virginia City. In addition, 16 placer mining companies are operating in the district, seven of them at Virginia City and two at Norris.

Many prospectors also are combing the hills for their share of the precious metal. One old sourdough said there is "a prospector for every gopher hole."

Madison leads the 24 mining counties of the state in lode mining, and in 1938 produced $1,762,000 worth of gold, more than any other county.

Gold first was discovered in the nameless creek that wends through Alder gulch in 1866. In the stampede that followed, claims were staked out over the surrounding hillsides and many rich ore bodies were uncovered. Some of the tunnels made by pioneer miners are in use today by prospectors still seeking to tap the mother lode.

Operators are taking out ore which is profitably smelted and sold at $15 a ton—a price early-day miners would have scorned. For in the picturesque times when Montana's early history was written—and Virginia City and Alder gulch were the locale—there were no near by smelters, and transportation and shipping costs were prohibitive.

Although combed three times by dry land dredges, Alder gulch again may be panned for gold. A Montana syndicate recently prospected the head of the gulch and reportedly may undertake operations this year.

Reilly To Speak At Alumni Reunion

Alumni of Sacred Heart College class of 192, will gather Sunday, May 5, for their annual reunion at Schenkel's picnic grove in Menlo Park, Brother Charles, vice president of the college, announced today. Brother Charles will attend the outing with the class.

Principal speaker of the day will be Commissioner George R. Reilly, member of the State Board of Equalization, an Alumnus or the class of 1920. His topic will be, "Our Part in the World Today". Commissioner Reilly will be introduced by Judge James McNally. Trophies and medals will be awarded for winners in the athletic contests including the usual baseball game between the single and married men. Edward Breen will direct the sports.

Al Welsh, prominent alumnus of the class andnow in New York, wired this week he is flying in from the East for the reunion. "Every year I look forward eagerly to my reunion with my former classmates at Sacred Heart", said Welsh to Roy Foley, member of the committee in charge. John Kelly, widely known Nevada rancher and member of the class, also sent word he is flyingin for the reunion.

William Kavanagh, class president, said today he expected every member would attend the outing. In addition to Kavanagh and Foley, members of the committee in charge are: James Whitcomb Reil ly, Wendell Paquette, Commissioner Reilly, Joseph Riccomi, Edward Breen, William Walsh, Charles Doran, Jerry Reilly, Al Austin, Charles Altimus, James McNally, Frank Dé Martini, Elton Landi, William Bella, Ray Moore, and Brother Charles.

Blush Can Be Measured If There's Any Demand

MANHATTAN, KAN. — Development of the recording spectrophotometer, so sensitive it can measure the light of a candle a mile away, was announced here by Everett S. Lee, head of the General Electric company general engineering laboratory at Schenectady, N. Y.

The electrical device was designed to match inks, dyes, textiles and paints and to compare color uniformity where it is most necessary, such as in stamps and currency.

If there were any call for such a measurement, Lee said, it could record the relative color value of a blonde, redhead or brunette or measure the intensity of a blush.

Missouri Claims Title Of Blue Grass State

KINGS CITY, MO. — Kentucky colonels may drink deep and wax vehemently over the beauties of their blue grass, but today Missouri claims to be the "Blue Grass state" of the Union.

By government record the blue grass area near here produces more blue grass than the entire state of Kentucky. Stripping of the blue grass seeds starts early in the summer and much of the seed will be sold in Kentucky, sellers say.

When the buying season reaches the peak markets are established here which furnish work for more than 200 men who will handle seed day and night.

Horseman Invades Bar Of Australian Town

SYDNEY.—For the first time in 40 years a horseman rode into a hotel in Wollongong, Australia, and the entire town is talking about it. During a patriotic celebration, Barney, a local character, dressed in the bushranging garb of Ned Kelly, a famous daredevil of the past, rode into a crowded hotel bar. Brandishing a stick shaped like a pistol, he greeted the crowd, rode around the bar and escaped before the police arrived. The bar proprietor had to set up drinks for all.

Pacific Ltd. Gives Day View of Sierras

E. A. Teubner, district freight and passenger agent for Southern Pacific at San Jose, announced this wek that the Pacific, Ltd., operating on the Overland Route to Chicago from the Oakland pier daily, will carry a full lounge observation car. This car returns from Chicago, ariving in Oakland in the evening.

This improved service was made posible, Teubner points out, by discontinuing the present 10-section observation car train operating between Oakland and Salt Lake City, and establishing instead a 12-section, drawing room, sleeper train.

The Pacific, Ltd., is the only train operating from Oakland to Chicagot that gives a dayligh view of the Sierra Nevada Mountains, American River Canyon and passes through Reno in the daytime.

U. S. Forester Debunks Tree Sap Rise and Fall

MILWAUKEE, WIS. — Sap, the kind that's found in trees, doesn't go up in spring and down in the fall, as many persons believe.

H. Basil Wales of the U. S. forestry service said experiments in this country and Europe have proved that winter-cut logs weigh as much as those cut during the summer, a situation which he said would not be true if the sap in the tree changed location.

"In the spring," he explained, "the sap is more active in all species. Any tree will literally bleed if wounded during this period."

And, he said, "the sap doesn't go down" in the fall.

"It is found in the trunk and roots of the tree where it was during the spring and summer, but its movement is slower," he said.

Blind Boy Scout Chief Is Given Highest Honor

SALEM, OHIO.—Eddie Howell, 48, of Salem, only blind Boy Scout commissioner in the United States, has been awarded the silver beaver medal, highest honor that can be given to a Scout leader.

Howell was appointed Scout commissioner six years ago, and in that time he has built scouting in Salem to a level never attained before. Membership has more than doubled, there have been many advancements in the activities of the Scouts, and scores of boys too young to belong to the regular Scouts have formed cub packs.

Actual participation in scouting and Howell's natural fondness for boys have done much in making his work a success, and the boys like and trust Eddie.

Deer Make Certain Of Their Vitamins

CRYSTAL CITY, TEXAS.—Crystal City's winter garden district, known as the world's "greatest spinach producing area," now offers hunters spinach-fattened deer. The spinach farms have been carved from large ranches populated by thousands of deer. Ranchers report the deer will walk 10 miles to get a bite of spinach. They thrive upon it.

1940 Cavalcade!

The dainty miss of colonial days will be glorified in the production, "AMERICA! CAVALCADE OF A NATION", Theme Spectacle of the 1940 Golden Gate International Exposition which opens May 25. Shown above in the costume she will wear in the scene of the inauguration of George Washington is Dixie Day, featured player in the Exposition show.

SCHOOLS WEEK OBSERVANCE

The twenty-first Annual Observance of Public Schools Week in California will be held in Menlo Park on Friday, April 26th, at 8:00 p. m., in the Auditorium of the Central Grammar School, on the Highway. A musical and literary program will be presented by the pupils of several grammar schools in this vicinity, together with an exhibit of mechanical and technical school work, during the week commencing on Monday, April 22.

The program for the evening entertainment is now in the course of preparation under the instruction of teachers in the various schools, and under the general supervision of the Principal of the Central Grammar School, Mr. O. L. Olson.

Admission is free, and all are invited to be present on Friday, April 26. It is hoped that parents will attend, and bring the family with them, and thus manifest their interest in the work of our publicc schools.

Day and Bryant Thank Voters

Joseph Day and Paul Bryant extend their sincere thanks to the citizens of Menlo Park for the confidence they expressed in them at the Polls on Tuesday, April 9th.

A card from Independence, Missouri today said that Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Harris will vist friends and other parts of the middle west before returning to Menlo Park.

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Know Name of Noah's Wife?

University Professor Found 103 in Hunt Through 2,000 Volumes.

COLUMBUS.—If you know the name of Mrs. Noah, wife of the Biblical ark builder, you're one step ahead of Dr. Francis T. Utley of the Ohio State university department of English.

Dr. Utley has gone through more than 2,000 dusty old volumes and traveled through European museums trying to get the facts on Mrs. Noah.

He has discovered 103 of her names. They range from Amzara to Waliya and Abbatissa to Mama, but Dr. Utley doesn't know which one is correct.

Mrs. Noah came to his attention when he was writing his doctoral thesis. He became interested and made her a sort of hobby. Dr. Utley spent last summer exploring the British museum and the Finland folklore archives at Helsingfors for more legends about Mrs. Noah. There are hundreds of them which he has traced to all ages and peoples.

Stories about the Noahs are to be found in Russian, Hebrew and Rumanian folk tales, Ethiopic Apocryphal writing in the First century A. D., all of the Baltic countries and among many of the northern countries.

Eva to Russians.

The Greeks called her Beersheba, Pandore Pyrrha and others. The Hebrews, Venus and perhaps Marie. In a Seventeenth century English treatise she is Cybele. To the Russians and Rumanians she was Eva.

In other folklore she was known as Regina Sacrorum, Princeps Vestalium, Set, Ge, Arezia, Emzara, Noamzara and Nahabalogunja.

Dr. Utley said one of the explanations for Mrs. Noah's many names was that many magicians and primitive "crystal-gazers" just selected a name which they could conjure with.

Some of the old Baltic and Russian tales about the "launching" of the ark state that Mrs. Noah did not care for the rest of the human cargo and refused to get aboard.

"Cursed one, come on," Noah is supposed to have retorted.

The devil was present and assumed that Noah meant him, so he took his place on the ark. Then the devil left the ark through a hole which he bored.

Legend of the Snake.

Noah didn't know how to fill the hole and asked the animals to aid him. The snake volunteered to plug the hole with its tail, provided Noah would promise him the blood of one man a day when the boat docked. Noah was forced to consent.

After the 40 days and nights of rain the water went down and the snake came to collect for his work. Noah, worried, consulted the Angel Gabriel, who advised him to burn the snake in a fire. Noah did so and scattered the snake's ashes in the four winds.

"The end of that story," said Dr. Utley, "is that the snake became lice and fleas and other biting insects. And today they feed on the blood of man to continue collecting Noah's old promise."

America! Cavalcade of a Nation

The dignity of the women of the colonial period in America is portrayed above with Dixie Day and Elvina LaKrapes, two graceful actresses in "AMERICA! CAVALCADE OF A NATION", theme spectacle of the Golden Gate International Exposition which opens May 25. The Exposition production is an epic drama of the history of America.

'Audible Picture Book, Teaches Blind Children

NEW YORK.—A novel experiment in the teaching of blind children which will make use of the talking book as an auxiliary instructor, has now been launched in one-fourth of the schools for the young blind across the country, according to an announcement by Robert B. Irwin, executive director of the American Foundation for the Blind, Inc., New York city. It consists in teaching young blind children through the medium of an "audible picture book."

The initial phonographic discs which the sound studios of the foundation have now prepared consist of talking book records with alternating bands of sound and silence. The sound band when it reads itself aloud, projects a short lesson. Sometimes this lesson comes from the disc in dramatic form, sometimes as a story told with sound effects, sometimes as a straight narrative. When each lesson ends, the band of silence follows. In that interval the instructor's test questions on the recorded lesson are given to the young blind listeners.

Members of the editorial staff of the Sequoia Times will attend the annual state journalism cconvention at the University of California April 18, 19 and 20.

The purpose of the onvention is for the students to compete in journalistic contests and to become acquainted with journalists from schools all over the State.

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Notice is hereby given that fifteen days after the date posted, the undersigned proposes to sell alcoholic beverages at these premises, described as follows:

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Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned is applying to the State Board of Equalization for issuance of an alcoholic beverage license for these premises as follows:

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Anyone desiring to protest the issuance of such license may file a verified protest with the State Board of Equalization at Sacramento, California, stating grounds for denial as provided by law. These premisses are not now licensed for the sale of alcoholic beverages.

Salvatore Di Natale

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Science Gradually Supplants Border Cowboys of 1920s

Applicants Today Must Pass Civil Service Tests And Go to School.

TUCSON, ARIZ.—The hard-hitting, straight-shooting cowboy who was the United States border patrolman of the 1920s has gradually been supplanted by the scientific criminologist of today.

In 1923, when the border patrol in its present form was established, officials published advertisements in the "Help Wanted" columns of border-town newspapers:

"Wanted—Experienced cowhands to join the United States border patrol for duty along the Mexican border."

"The group of cowhands who first reported to the office and said they wanted jobs was about the toughest bunch of men I ever saw," R. B. Mathews, assistant director of naturalization and immigration, reminisced.

"When I opened the door and looked at them I wondered if it was a 'necktie party' for me," he laughed.

The original duty of the patrolman was to catch aliens who at that time were attempting to cross from Mexico in great numbers.

Scoutcraft Once First.

The test for applicants for the job of patrolman in the old days was not how much immigration law they knew, but how well they could handle and care for a horse, cook over a campfire and pick up and follow footprints of men and horses across the barren desert stretches along the border.

"The applicant, if he desired to live very long, had to be fast on the "draw" and able to fire a six-gun in a split second, Mathews said.

Today, applicants take civil service examination at El Paso. If they pass, they receive physical examinations and are sent to School in El Paso for six months.

At school the applicants are taught courses in finger-printing, how to operate and repair a short wave radio, Morse code, and how to broadcast fingerprint classifications in code.

Since 1930, attempts to enter the United States illegally have decreased, Mathews said, pointing out that in May, 1930, there were 223 aliens apprehended, while in the corresponding month this year, only 23 were caught.

State Gridders In Shift Grind

Shifting seems to be the general theme in the early spring practice grid sessions of San Jose State College's 194 0footbal squad, although the veteran "Pop" Warner, Spartan pigskin advisor and director of the offense, is a firm opponent of the movement in reference to pre-play deception.

The shifts in question are not that type, however, but refer to a few of the theories and adaptations of the ex-Spartan pilot, Dud DeGroot.

Dud ayways was of the idea that his blocking back, who is usually of the rockem-sockem variety of moleskinner, should asume the brunt of the defensive duties in backing up the line. He would have his fullback, who is the tailback and principal ball packer of the double wing offense, play a halfback spot and get a much needed rest on defense.

Warner and Head Coach Ben Winkleman have decided to let their fullback also take over the big job on defense. In the first scrimmages Dick Hubbell and the recently "shifted" tackle, Truck Tornell, have been "having at it" from immediately behind the line and really taking on an iron man role. Tornell was a regular tackle in 1939 and was mentioned on many all-star grid selections. This move of the big blonde to the fullback spot is reminiscent of "Pop's" all time star Ernie Nevers, who as a fullback at Stanford in '23, '24 and '25 is still remembered as the greatest ever. Spartan fans will wonder if "The Old Fox" sees a resemblance to his Stanford sensation.

Fewer Jobs Available.

Mathews believed better conditions in Mexico and the changed attitude of large corporations in Texas and Arizona toward employment of alien labor were the main factors in cutting down illegal entries.

"We used to be kept pretty busy," Mathews said, "but now a single truck equipped with a radio can patrol more territory than several cowboys formerly could handle."

Few wild chases across desert and mountains occupy patrolmen today. Most of their time is taken up in searching trains for hidden aliens.

Mathews believes the influx of aliens apprehended, while in the hopes "business" will pick up, for at last reports, the most interesting event in the border patrol's life this year occurred when they rushed an expectant mother across the border in an attempt to prevent her baby from becoming a citizen of the United States.

Housewife Faints Twice, Two Bolts Revive Her

COLDWATER, MICH. — Death took a holiday—too close to Mrs. Wilma Berk of Tekonsha, near here.

While pumping water in the backyard of her home, the pump platform gave way beneath her. Clutching the pump handle, she swung herself over the broken platform, saving herself from a 45-foot fall to the waters below.

Walking weakly to the house, she fainted, only to be revived a moment later when a bolt of lightning struck the radio in the room. She fainted again and a second bolt hit the room.

Except for a broken radio, and a few bruises she received, Mrs. Berk and the house withstood the experience quite well.

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NOTICE OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENT

No. 40-1

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 29th day of February, 1940, the Sanitary Board of the East Palo Alto Sanitary District, adopted its Resolution of Intention No. 40-1, wherein it did declare that in its opinion the public interest and convenience required, and that it was the intention of said Board to order the following acquisitions to be had and improvements to be made in and for said District, to-wit:

A sanitary sewer collection and disposal system in and for said district, to run in and along the following public streets, avenues and public ways in said district, to-wit, Addison Avenue, Bay Road, Bayshore Highway, Beech Street, Bell Street, Circle Drive, Clark Avenue, Cooley Avenue, Donohoe Street, Dumbarton Avenue, Euclid Avenue, Garden Street, Glen Way, Green Street, Lilac Lane, Lincoln Avenue, Manhattan Avenue, Menalto Avenue, Myrtle Street, Oakdale Avenue, Oakwood Drive, O'Connor Street, Palo Verde Avenue, Parkinson Avenue, Poplar Avenue, Pulgas Avenue, Palmar Avenue, Runnymede Street, Sacramento Street, Scofield Street, University Avenue Weeks Street, Woodland Avenue Alley between University and Manhattan Avenues, as more particularly described in said resolution of intention; also to run in and along certain easements to be acquired by said district, which easements are described as follows:

Parcel No. 1:

A ten foot strip of land running through a portion of Lots 52, 53 and 54 of "The Charles Weeks Poultry Colony, Fourth Addition to Runnymede", as said lots are shown and delineated on the map of said addition on file in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County, and running from the northwesterly boundary line of said Lot 52 to the southeasterly boundary line of said Lot 54.

Parcel No. 2:

A ten foot strip of land running through a portion of the lands of the Chipman Chemical Company, Inc. which are described in Volume 725 of Official Records of San Mateo County at page 50 thereof, extending southerly from the northwesterly boundary line of said lands to the southeasterly boundary line thereof

Parcel No. 3:

A ten foot strip of land running through a portion of the lands of Charles Rohner which are described in Volume 822 of Official Records of San Mateo County at page 16 thereof, extending southeasterly from the northwesterly boundary line of said lands to the southerly boundary line thereof.

Parcel No. 4:

A ten foot strip of land running through a portion of the lands of John Maggiore, which are described in Volume 583 of Official Records of San Mateo County at page 348 thereof extending southerly from the northerly boundary line of said lands to the southerly boundary line thereof.

Parcel No. 5:

A ten foot strip of land running through a portion of the lands of Jacob J. Geng, et ux, which are described in Volume 592 of Official Records of San Mateo County at page 257 thereof, extending from the northerly boundary line of said land to a point in the northeasterly boundary line thereof.

Parcel No. 6

A ten foot strip of land running through a portion of the lands of Jacob J. Geng, et ux, which are described in Volume 585 of Official Records of San Mateo County at page 332 thereof, extending southeasterly from the northerly boundary line of said lands to the southerly boundary line thereof.

Parcel No. 7:

A ten foot strip of land running through the lands of Peter Faber, which lands are described in Volume 217 of Official Records of San Mateo County at page 324 thereof, extending from a point in the southwesterly boundary line of said lands to a point in the southwesterly boundary line of lands conveyed by said Peter Faber to the City of Palo Alto which are described in Volume 859 of Official Records of San Mateo County at page 203.

A twenty foot strip of land running through a portion of the lands of the City of Palo Alto in the County of San Mateo described in Volume 858 of Official Records of San Mateo County at page 203 thereof; also through a portion of the lands of said ccity in the County of Santa Clara, which lands are described in Volume 449 of Official Records of Santa Clara County at page 537 thereof, extending from a point in the southwesterly boundary line of said lands in San Mateo County southeasterly to the boundary line between San Mateo County and Santa Clara County, thence continuing southeasterly in and along said lands in Santa Clara County to the 27 inch sewer of the City of Palo Alto, as all of the foregoing easements are more particularly described in said resolution of intention.

The said sewer system shall be constructed of vitrified clay pipe sanitary sewers, with wye branches, elbows and caps, risers with cast iron frames and covers, red burnt brick manholes with cast iron frames and covers and wrought iron steps, excepting a cast iron sewer pipe across Bayshore Highway at Menalto Avenue, Manhattan Avenue and Pulgas Avenue, and San Francisquito Creek; also a wood stave pipe from the southeasterly end of the easement described in Parcel No. 7 aforementioned, at at the easterly boundary line of said district souteasterly to and connecting with said city's existing outfall sewer.

Said sewer system shall consist also of a sewage pumping plant with all the necessary appurtenances.

All of said work and improvements are to be constructed at the places and in the particular locations, of the forms, sizes, dimensions and materials, and at the lines, grades and elevations, shown and delineated on the plans, profiles and specifications adopted therefor by the sanitary board and on file for public inspection at the office of the secretary of said board.

And whereas said contemplated acquisitions and improvements, in the opinion of the sanitary board of said district, are of more than local or ordinary public benefit, said board makes the cost and expenses thereof, including the improvements to be done by the contractor, and of the materials, supplies and equipment to be furnished by said contractor, also the incidental expenses, chargeable upon an assessment district to consist of the entire East Palo Alto Sanitary District, except the streets, public ways and public property therein being used in the performance of a public function.

Said improvements shall be done as a project for which a contribution of labor, and a portion of the materials, supplies, equipment and tools, and supervisory personnel, will be made by the Federal Works Projects Administration, approved as W. P. A. Project No. 0940-723.

Notice is hereby given that serial bonds to represent unpaid assessments, and bear interest at the rate of not to exceed six per cent (6%) per annum, will be issued hereunder in the manner provided by the Improvement Bond Act of 1915, the last installment of which bonds shall mature fourteen (14) years from the second day of July next succeedng ten months from their date.

Except as herein otherwise provided for the issuance of bonds, said work shall be done as a W. P. A. Assessment project, pursuant to the Municipal Improvement Act of 1913, (Deering Act 5215) as amended.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to said act said District Engineer did on the 22nd day of March, 1940, file with the Secretary of said Board his report in writing on said acqisitions and improvements, as called for under said resolution of intention, and that said Board did on said 22nd day of March, 1940, duly consider said report, and by resolution approved and confirmed the same as filed, without modification, and order that said report stand as the report for the purposes of all subsequent proceedings had pursuant to said resolution of intention.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that Thursday, the 25th day of April, 1940, at the hour of eight o'clock P. M. of said day, in the regular meeting place of said Sanitary Board, in the Ravenswood School House, at the corner of Donohoe Street and Euclid Avenue, in said East Palo Alto Sanitary District, is the time and place appointed and fixed by said Board for hearing protests in relation to said proposed improvements; and that any person interested, objecting to said proposed acquisitions or improvements, or to the grades at which said work will be done, or the extent of the assessment district, or to the district engineer's estimate of the costs and expenses thereof, or to the proposed diagram and assessment for the costs and expenses thereof, may file a written protest with the Secretary of said Sanitary Board at or before the time set for the hearing referred to herein.

Reference is hereby made for further particulars to said Resolution of Intention No. 40-1, and to the Report of the Engineer thereof; also to the descriptions, maps, plans and specifications, estimated costs, diagram of assessment district and proposed assessments, all of which are on file in the office of the secretary of the Sanitary Board thereof, at No. 1949 University Avenue in said District.

Dated: March 30, 1940.

RUTH LEW
Secretary of the Sanitary Board
East Palo Alto Sanitary District.

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Wealthy Town Discovers Its Past Was Threadbare

BROOKLINE, MASS.—Now considered the nation's wealthiest town, Brookline asked to be excused in 1714 from sending a representative to the state legislature because of insufficient funds.

Records found by the WPA historical survey show that the town made the request "upon the account of their building a Meeting House and the great charges thereof for such a Poor Little Town."

Best Laid Plans of Boys Also Go Astray, It Seems

ROCKVILLE, CONN.—The best laid plans of mice, men and little boys who don't obey their teacher ofttimes go astray.

Five youngsters who thought their teacher too stern, tried to "get even" by letting the air out of the tires of her auto. They were caught and turned over to their parents, who reported "appropriate" disposition of the cases.

Isle's 'Utopia' Solitude Too Much for Family

SANDUSKY, OHIO.—Island "Utopias" are not all they are supposed to be, according to Melvin Zelms and his family, just back on the mainland after four years on a lush and lonely Lake Erie island.

Zelms, his wife and four children raised turkeys and cattle on 450-acre Johnson's island, noted as the burial ground of 206 Confederate army officers, most of whom died in the Union prison located on the island during the Civil war.

"Life on the island was just like the Old West," Zelms said. "But it was deadly isolation, with no entertainment, no friends and no conveniences. Let someone else try out this Utopia business. We've had our fill."

Holstein Cow, 29, Gets Special Social Security

BATH, N. Y.—Miss Idah M. W. Van Housen's Holstein cow, Victoria, is 29 years old, but has no cause for concern about old age security.

Miss Van Housen, who believes Victoria has set a record for bovine longevity, made the cow's recent birth anniversary the occasion to announce that she has provided for the animal in her will.

"Should Victoria outlive me," she said, "my executors are instructed to insure her a home and the same care to which she has been accustomed on my farm."

State Fair Directors Making Plans

Looking into the future, the California State Fair directors, meeting this week in Sacramento, foresaw erection of a $300,000 livestock coliseum in 1941.

They voiced the approval of $17-800 in improvements to the present grounds, and set $51,000 in purses for the running and harness races and adopted an electric starting gate for the runners.

Concessions for the grounds were awarded by the board and the board went over plans for bringing the fair to public attention through attractive displays.

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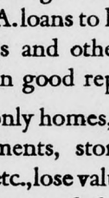

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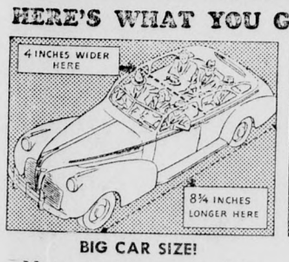

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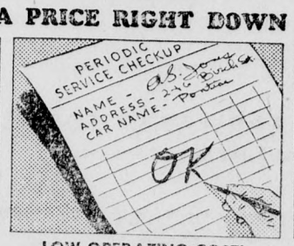

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Christian Science Church Services

First Church of Christ, Scientist Byrant Street and Forest Avenue. Palo Alto. Sunday Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

In all Christian Science churches branches of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., a Lesson-Sermon will be read Sunday, April 21, on te subject "Doctrine of Atonement."

The Golden Text will be: "The Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his life a ransom for many (Matthew 20: 28). Bible selections will include the following passage from II Corinthians 5: 18, 19: "And all things are of God, who hath reconciled us to himself by Jesus Christ, and hath given to us the ministry of reconciliation; To wit, that God was in Christ, reconciling the world unto himself, not imputing their trespasses unto them; and hath committed unto us he word of reconciliation."

A pasige from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, will also be included, which reads as follows:

"Every pang of repentance and suffering, every effort to reform, every good thought and deed, will help us to understand Jesus' atonement or sin and aid its efficacy; but if the sinner continues to pray and repent, sin and be sorry, he has little part in the atonement— in the at-one-ment with God, — for he lacks the practical repentance, which reforms the heart and enables man to do the will of wisdom" (p. 19).

Christian Science radio programs sanctioned by the Christian Science Board of Directors of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., and under the direction of the Committee on Publication for Northern California are on the air: Station KYA, 1230 kilocycles, Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8:45 a. m.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

420 Oak Grove Avenue, Menlo Park
The Reverend Charles Edward Fritz, M. A., B. D., Rector.
Helen Hill, Deaconess

Fourth Sunday after Easter:

8:00 a. m.- Holy Communion.

9:30 a. m.- Church School in the Parish House.

11:00 a. m.— Morning Prayer and sermon. For the offertory anthem the choir will sing "O Lord Most Holy"(Cesar Franck) the solo part being taken by Miss Elaine Barrett.

Coming—

April 29th— special meeting of the Women's Auxiliary.

May 7th— meeting of the Convocation of San Jose at Trinity Church.

Philadelphia Church Services For Week

Corner Oak Grove avenue and Mills Street

Gospel Meetings

Sunday, 10 a. m., Sunday School.

11 a. m. Morning service.

7:30 p. m. Communion service in Menlo Park.

Wednesday night at 8 o'clock, Healing Service. Come and bring the sick. Everybody is invited to attend all of these services.

Joseph Ystrom, Pastor.

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST, Latter Day Saints

Corner Spencer avenue and Grant street, San Jose.

Sunday Services:

Church School, 9:45 a. m.

11:00 a. m. Morning worship.

Prayer Service:

Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, the regular prayer service will be held in the church.

Dr. Harris, Pastor.

MENLO PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SERVICES

716 Santa Cruz Ave.

Church Notes for April 21, 1940

9:45 a. m., Sunday School, Mrs. E. J. Clark Superintendent.

11:00 a. m. — Morning worship Sermon subject: "Genuine Christianity". (Observing Organization Sunday in Go-to-church-campaign)

6: 30 p. m. Christian Endeavor meetings, Intermediates and Seniors.

7:30 p. m. —Evening Service. Sermon subject: "Consider the Lilies".

Rev. Eldred J. Clark, Minister.

A special effort at increased attendance at church during the period from Easter to Pentecost is being carried on with particular emphasis from Sunday to Sunday. Roll-Call Sunday, Family Sunday, Community Sunday, have been observed and next Snda "Organization Day" will be observed when invitations will be extended to various services, fraternal, and improvement organizations of the community to attend the morning service in as large numbers as possible. There is no desire to withdraw from other churches their regular atendants but rather to stress the importance of church attendance somewhere upon those who do not regularly attend anywhere. We seek to build for better things through the church.

Invitations have just been received from the Committees on Union of the Episcopalian and Presbyterian Churches to a dinner meeting to be held in the Y. M. C. A., 220 Golden Gate Ave., San Francisco, April 22, at 6:15 p. m. This is a matter coming prominently before these two church bodies and will be considered at the May meeting of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church which meets in Rochester, New York. Those laymen interested in attending the dinner may confer with the ministers of either of the local churches concerned.

Home Economics Infant Has 8 Foster Mothers

AUBURN, ALA. — Baby Grady Leon Young hasn't become spoiled —despite the attentions of his "eight mothers."

Baby Leon lives in the college home management house at Alabama Polytechnic institute.

His eight "mothers" are home economics seniors studying infant care.

The youngster's parents, also students at the college, lent their baby to the management house at request of Mrs. Marion Spindle, dean of the school of home economics, to permit home economics students to get practical training in care of babies.

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T. B. Hunnell, Menlo Park Resident, Passes

Tillman Bryan Hunnell, who died Thursday at his Menlo Park home, 949 Fremont street, after an illness of four months, will be laid to rest in the National Cemetery at the San Francisco Presidio on Satrday.

Funeral services will be conducted at 9 a. m. at the Roller and Lodge 651, Free and Accepted Masons.

Mr. Hunnell was born in Aurora, Ill., 41 years ago. He served in the World War and was later employed as an electrician for the Southern Pacific Railroad. Menlo Park had been his home for 18 years.

Survivors ar ehis widow, Mrs. Ruth Hunnell; a daughter, Ruth; his mother, Mrs Clara Hunnell; a sister, Mrs Della Moore, and a brother, William Hunnell, all living in Menlo Park.

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